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In re Application of:

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 19, 2003, Applicants elect the invention of Group V, i.e., claims 35-49.

Applicants look forward to prosecution on the merits. Should the Examiner find that a telephonic or personal interview would expedite passage to issue of the present application, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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